

P R E F A C E .

AT their meeting of March 22, 1900, the Council resolved :—

“That the Obituaries of deceased Fellows, in addition to appearing in the ‘Year-Book,’ be issued, either yearly or at such other intervals as may seem desirable, in a volume uniform with the ‘Proceedings.’”

The present volume, containing the Obituary Notices in the Year-Books for 1900 and 1901 is accordingly issued, and will be followed at suitable intervals by similar collections from future issues of the Year-Book.

Two or three notices will be found at the end of the collection which were not included in the Year-Book for 1901.

It has been thought convenient to add a general index to all the Obituaries that have appeared in the volumes of the “Proceedings” since their publication was commenced, which was in vol. 10, published in 1860.

August, 1904.—In consequence of a decision to begin a new Series of “Proceedings,” with the page enlarged to royal octavo, it has been decided to classify the obituary notices for the period 1900–1905 inclusive as four parts of a single volume, which will rank as the final volume, LXXV, of the present Series of “Proceedings.” In the present *re-issue* of Part i some slight changes have been made, with this object in view. Parts ii and iii have already been issued. A title-page and contents of the whole volume will be issued along with Part iv. After the completion of this volume the obituaries will be issued with the “Proceedings”; they will be specially paged so as to form appendices to the volumes, and may be bound separately in case it is so desired.